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GERMAN MECHANIZED FORCES MOVE TOWARD CHANNEL, BUT IMMEDIATE PARIS THREAT APPEARS TO HAVE DIMINISHED; BELIEVE WEYGAND WILL LAUNCH MAJOR COUNTER-OFFENSIVE

Situation in Region East of Cambrai and Around Landrecies Extremely Grave to Allies, It Is Said—Germans Who Crossed Aisne River near Rethel, France, Held Back, However

(By International News Service)

PARIS, May 20—With General Maxime Weygand, new Allied Commander-in-Chief, as yet unable to consolidate the battle on the Western Front sufficiently to enable a French counter-offensive, German mechanized forces moved relentlessly toward the channel today.

While sporadic Nazi onslaughts were thrown back along the Aisne, German progress in the vicinity of Cambrae continued, but the immediate threat at Paris, so gravely directed last week, appeared to have diminished.

Official military spokesmen frankly admitted the continuance of the Nazi advance.

The impression prevalent in Paris is that the new commander-in-chief, General Weygand, would launch a major counter-offensive in a maximum effort to turn the tide.

Weygand, who succeeded General Gamelin, arrived in Paris, Saturday. Previously, he was commander of the Allied army in the Near East.

"There is no question of concealing the fact," the spokesman said, "the situation in the region east of Cambrai and around Landrecies is extremely grave."

This statement followed the issuance of a French war communique stating Allied troops succeeded in holding back German forces which crossed the Aisne River near Rethel, in France.

By H. R. Knickerbocker
I. N. S. Staff Correspondent

PARIS, May 20—The battle which may change the history of the world, reached fresh areas in northern France and Belgium today and brought death to thousands each hour.

But Paris breathed easier as it became plain that for the time being at least, the Germans have diverted their drive to the French capital, and are concentrating on reaching the channel ports.

Grimmest realists among observers here, were able to perceive two points of advantage for the Allied side today.

The German drive, although continuous, lacked the ferocious violence it had the first few days.

Second, the Allied troops are learning how to combat the Germans' unique tank plus airplane attacks. Neutral observers declared that the Germans won most of their ground by the terrifying effect of wave after wave of bombing planes, followed by mass tanks leading the infantry.

BERLIN, May 20—Further Allied retreats in France and the continuance of Nazi Germany's relentless march toward the channel ports were claimed in an official communique by the German high command today.

In Belgium, the Dendre River has been crossed, it was said, and the Escaut River reached.

(Editor's Note: This indicates that the Germans are driving toward Courtrae, where only the Lys River and

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United in Marriage In St. Ann's Church

A Sunday wedding in St. Ann's R. C. Church united Miss Antonetta Comengo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Comengo, 211 New Brook street, and Louis DiTanna, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luciano DiTanna, Burlington, N. J., the Rev. Father Peter Pinci officiating. The ceremony was performed at three o'clock, the bridal party entering the edifice to the strains of a wedding march played by Miss Frances Tamburella. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Miss Mary Pinci, Brook street, and Miss Josephine Comengo, New Brook street, a sister of the bride, served as bridesmaids; while Joseph Dianni, Burlington, N. J., was best man for Mr. DiTanna; with Anthony Chipiana, also of Burlington, serving as usher.

The embroidered white marquisette dress worn by the bride was cut colonial style, with artificial orange blossoms appearing on either side of the V-neckline, and the bodice was shirred. The long sleeves were puffed at the shoulders, and attached to the wide waistband was a very full skirt with lengthy train. The veil of white net was attached to a seed-pearl tiara; and the bride wore white linen slippers, and carried a colonial style bouquet composed of white roses and valley lilies.

The dresses of the bridesmaids were cut similar to that of the bride, but the puffed sleeves were short, and the long, full skirts had even hem-lines. They were fashioned of ashes of roses marquisette and net. At the front of the V-necklines appeared artificial roses in the same tone. Matching hats were off-the-face models, with open crowns, and trim was of velvet ribbon in the ashes of roses shade. Slippers were of matching linen, and each carried a colonial bouquet of rose-toned roses and a variety of blue flowers.

A dinner preceded the ceremony, this being served at the Comengo residence. The reception at seven p. m., in Sons of Italy hall, was attended by a large company of relatives and friends.

Following a week's trip to New York City, Mr. and Mrs. DiTanan will reside at the home of the bride's parents.

ENGART-KINES WEDDING OCCURS AT HARTSVILLE

Reception Follows at Doylestown Country Club, 100 Guests Attending

AN ATTRACTIVE AFFAIR

CROYDON, May 20—A very attractive wedding took place on Saturday afternoon at half after four o'clock, in the Neshaminy of Warwick Church, Hartsville, when Miss Dorothy C. Kines became the wife of Mr. Robert T. Engart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Engart, of Abington. The bride is the daughter of supervising principal of Bristol Township public schools, William J. Kines, and Mrs. Kines, who reside here and in New Buffalo.

The Rev. Ernest VandenBosch was the officiating clergyman, with Mrs. Earl Smith, Willow Grove, serving as organist. The vocalist, Mrs. Otto Grupp, Jr., Croydon, sang "At Dawning," "I Love You Truly," and "Because."

The bride wore an attractive ruche trimmed model of imported white Swiss organdy, it having a fitted bodice, floor-length skirt, and long sleeves. The finger tip veil was held in place by a tiarra of orange blossoms, and the bride carried a prayer book with white orchids and ribbon streamers.

Serving her sister as maid of honor was Miss Ethel Kines. Her costume was of peach toned imported Swiss organdy, with fitted bodice, puffed sleeves, ruche trim, and full flared skirt. Her large leghorn hat had peach velvet streamers, and she carried a bouquet of mixed flowers. The three bridesmaids were attired in costumes fashioned like that of the maid of honor, but in various colors. Miss Marjorie Smith, Willow Grove, wore baby blue imported Swiss organdy; Miss Eleanor Hepler, Harrisburg, yellow toned; and Miss Edith Sachs, Philadelphia, was attired in aqua. The flower girl was Miss Peggy Engart, Lebanon, whose dress was of peach organdy with trim of pale blue and rose, the model being floor length. She carried a basket of pink rose-buds.

The groom's attendant was his brother, Joseph Engart, New Hope; and the ushers were inclusive of Henry Engart, Lebanon; Harry Mergner, Philadelphia; and Frank Worthington, Doylestown.

A reception took place at Doylestown Country Club, of which club the groom is a member. One hundred guests were served at long tables which were decorated with roses and Spring foliage.

For the honeymoon trip by motor, the bride wore a black English tweed suit, with lace blouse, white turban, and black accessories.

For the wedding ceremony, Mrs. Kines, mother of the bride, wore a dress of dusty pink, lace trimmed, large straw hat with ribbon and veil in dusty pink tone, and a corsage of white roses. Mrs. Engart, the groom's mother, was attired in a dress of pale blue lace, large navy blue hat, and wore a corsage of gardenias.

The bride, who attended Shippensburg State Teachers College, is a graduate of Temple University, Philadelphia. She is a member of the Delta Omega Sorority. She has been engaged as a librarian in Philadelphia. The groom, a graduate of Doylestown high school and Lafayette College, is a member of Kappa Sigma. He is employed as an accountant with John Herr & Sons, Philadelphia.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURE

Unofficial reading at 7 a. m. 58

LATEST NEWS - - - -
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Dies of Fractured Skull

Philadelphia, May 20—Injured last Thursday in fall down a stairway of his West Philadelphia home, Jacob W. Fontz, 66, died today in Mercy Hospital of a fractured skull.

Ends His Own Life

Pennfield, May 20—Charles Hexter, Jr., 29, committed suicide by asphyxiation in the cellar of his Pennfield home. Hexter said that "he never got any fun out of life."

Hexter, a motion picture operator, left a note apologizing to his parents, authorities said.

May Procession Conducted; 43 Receive First Communion

Children of St. Mark's School participated in their annual May procession, yesterday, and in conjunction with the service which followed in St. Mark's R. C. Church, 43 girls and boys received their first communion.

The rite of communion was administered to the children by the Rev. Father Joseph E. Murphy. The girls participating were garbed in white, and wore white veils. Upon entering the edifice, the high school girls using the flowers they carried, formed a floral arch through which the May Queen, Miss Dugan, Garden street, passed. Miss Dugan spoke briefly for the school.

The sermon was delivered by the Rev. Father Albert L. Glass, and the Rev. Father Murphy congratulated the children who were in the procession, and those who received their first communion.

The altar was beautiful in its decorations of white and gold-toned roses. Singing of hymns by the entire congregation, and recitations by school children were included in the program.

TIDES AT BRISTOL

(Daylight Saving Time)

High water	2.11 a. m., 2.36 p. m.
Low water	9.22 a. m., 9.40 p. m.

BARTRAM'S GARDENS ARE DESCRIBED TO WOMEN

Garden Day is Observed by Bucks Co. Floral Council At Doylestown

ARRANGEMENTS JUDGED

DOYLESTOWN, May 20 — Garden Day, sponsored by Bucks County Floral Council, was observed Thursday afternoon in the Doylestown high school auditorium.

Mrs. Charles Bidwell, chairman of the Garden Day committee, presided, welcoming the group to the first garden day meeting.

Mrs. Harry Shoemaker spoke of the Bucks County Dogwood Association, and said any one planting a dogwood tree becomes a life member of the association.

Mrs. Florence B. King, a member of the Lingohocken Garden Club, described Bartram's Garden. She said that more than 200 years ago, in 1729, John Bartram purchased five or six acres of land along the Schuylkill River. It was sold at auction on account of delinquent taxes. He named it the "Garden of Delight." The following year he built a large stone house, the stone being Pennsylvania ledge rock. He at once began the planting of his garden, seeds and shrubs being collected from Florida to Canada. He made many trips to make additions to his garden. Numerous trees figuring in the garden were given by his many friends. He procured boxwoods from Smyrna and Turkey, and a thorn tree from the Holy Land. George Washington was a frequent guest in this garden.

"Bartram died in 1777. After his death the garden became the possession of his children, but later it passed through different hands. In 1891 the garden was purchased by the city of Philadelphia. Much of the plant life in Fairmount Park had its origin in Bartram's garden. In recent years, factories and railroads have been built near the garden, thus robbing it of some of its beauty. One visiting the garden will marvel at the work done by John Bartram."

Mrs. Russell Gilbert, president of the Council, and a member of Lingohocken Club, sang three vocal num-

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Former Epworth Leaguers Form The "Wesley Club"

HULMEVILLE, May 20—"The Wesley Club" has been formed by a group of young women and young men of the Neshaminy Methodist Church, the formation of the new organization followed disbanding of the Epworth League last week. The movement took place when decision was reached that membership of the League was better suited to fill a program of activities such as will be outlined under the new club. Thus also, will the way be paved for formation soon of an entirely new Epworth League, carrying out the type of work as outlined by the League pledge and by-laws. Members of "The Wesley Club" are those whose names were automatically transferred from the previous Epworth League, unless they choose not to continue membership.

The officers of the new club are: President, Kenneth Comly; vice president, LeRoy Edwards; secretary, Miss Jean Odgers; treasurer, Miss Helen Woolman; recreation committee; Miss Elma E. Haefner, Miss Adeline E. Reetz, and Kimbel Faust; with social service committee to be named later.

The club will continue to rent the recreation room at Main and Hulme streets, one night weekly, except during the Summer period when out-door activities will take place.

Plans have been formulated for a quiz contest and covered dish supper on Friday evening, June 7th, in the church social hall, this being open to the entire church membership and any others interested. The supper committee is comprised of the Misses Margaret Diegel, Helen Harkness, Helen Woolman, Marie Hanson, Ruth Miller, Jean Odgers; quiz committee, Adeline E. Reetz, Elma E. Haefner, Kimbel Faust; ticket committee, Miss Helen Woolman.

A banquet is being considered for club members, with Miss Helen Harkness, LeRoy Edwards and Wilson Hibbs forming the committee.

The June session on the 10th, will occur at the home of the Misses Adella and Helen Harkness.

Gifts Showered Upon Miss Pasqualina Mary Aita

Miss Pasqualina Mary Aita, Dorrance street, was the guest of honor at a party Saturday evening in St. Ann's club rooms. The affair was a surprise miscellaneous shower for Miss Aita, given by her attendants-to-be: Mrs. S. Joseph Aita, 2nd, the Misses Margaret Giagnacova, Anna DeLuca, Rose Fiorvanti, Tillie Niccol, Bristol; Doris Persicketti, Trenton, N. J.

A chair, decorated in pink and white, was placed in one section of the room. Over the chair, suspended from the ceiling was a watering can also decorated. Crepe paper streamers were attached to the can and fell to the gifts on the floor.

Dancing was enjoyed during the evening and a buffet supper served to 150 guests.

BURGESS ANDERSON ENDORSES CELEBRATION

Writes July 4th Committee He Hopes Celebration Will Be Glorious Success

COMMITTEE TO MEET

Tomorrow night at eight o'clock in the Bristol Municipal Building, there will be a meeting of the Independence Day Celebration Committee for Bris-

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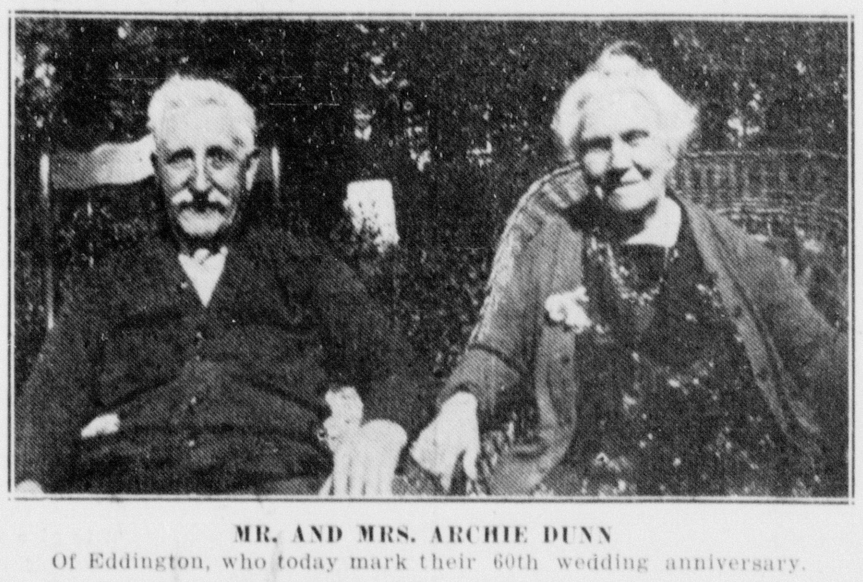
CELEBRATE 60TH ANNIVERSARY



MR. AND MRS. ARCHIE DUNN
Of Eddington, who today mark their 60th wedding anniversary.

EDDINGTON COUPLE HAVE BEEN WED SIXTY YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dunn Receiving Congratulations of Many Friends

HAVE TEN CHILDREN

EDDINGTON, May 20—Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dunn, of Eddington, are today celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary. The couple are 83 and 84 years of age, respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn, who had a major celebration a few years ago, will celebrate in a quiet manner today, having as their guests for the day, Mr. and Mrs. William Whitley, Eddington.

The aged couple are parents of 10 children, namely: Archie Dunn, Jr., Mrs. J. Diamond, Cornwells Heights; Miss Mary Dunn, Eddington; Mrs. H. P. Roberts, Radnor; Mrs. H. Cook, Narberth; W. Dunn, Andrew Dunn, Eben Dunn, John Dunn, Miss Emma Dunn, Philadelphia. The Dunns also have 21 grandchildren, and 14 great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn proudly state that they were the first members of "The Light-house," at Masher and Lehigh avenues, Philadelphia, 44 years ago.

Mr. Dunn is proud of his prowess as a quoit player, and many a game he has played with the old-fashioned round quoits. He enjoys remisiscing of the days when he was dubbed the "champ" of Philadelphia, and many friends come to the Dunn home, for the "pleasure" of being defeated by Mr. Dunn, which is always the case.

Red Cross To Consider Emergency Fund Plans

A special meeting of Bristol Branch of the Red Cross will be held on Wednesday at the Red Cross headquarters, 120 Mill street, at two o'clock p. m.

At that time, the emergency plans will be discussed concerning the call to help those suffering in war-stricken areas of Europe.

All workers are especially requested to be present, as well as all members of the board, and any others interested.

SPRING CONCERT TONIGHT

The annual spring concert by the students of the American Conservatory of Music under the direction of R. Joseph Martini will take place in St. James' Parish House, Wood & Walnut streets, tonight. At 8.15 o'clock. A fine program of various musical compositions, dancing and singing has been arranged. The general public is cordially invited to attend.

BRISTOL TROOP TIES IN CONTEST FOR SCOUT CUP

Troop No. 25 To Share Honors With Churchville Troop For Rotary Club Award

SCOUTS VIE AT CO. SEAT

Troop No. 25, of Bristol, Scoutmaster John Burtonwood, on Saturday tied with Troop No. 5, Churchville, Scoutmaster Robert T. Hays, for the Bristol Rotary Club Cup. The cup is awarded annually to the troop staging the best stunt. The two troops tied in the contest and it was decided that each troop should hold the cup for six months of the year. Churchville will have possession of the cup for the first six months and then the Bristol troop will hold it. This is the second consecutive year that Bristol Troop No. 25 has won the award.

The thirteenth annual event of the Bucks County Council, Boy Scouts of America, known as Scouting Day, was held at Doylestown Saturday, starting at one o'clock in the afternoon. Some six hundred scouts, seascouts and explorer Scouts and Cubs participated in the appearance inspection, and patrol events held during the afternoon at the fair grounds. These events included first aid, knot tying, signaling, nature identifications, drill and handicraft with knife and axe, and a contest to determine the council bugling champion was held.

The following patrols having secured minimum of 450 out of a possible 600 points were rated standard: Silver Fox, patrol leader Thomas Snipes, Troop No. 3, Morrisville; Beaver, Patrol leader Jos. Tarantino, Troop No. 4, Quakertown; Indian, patrol leader Robert Conklin and Hawk, patrol leader, Leo Johnson, Troop 7, Bristol; Riegelsville's Own Patrol, patrol leader William Godown, Troop No. 15, Riegelsville; Flaming Arrow, patrol leader Glen Dulsky, Troop No. 18, Doylestown; Eagle, patrol leader Marvin Hilsee, Panther, patrol leader Stewart Scott, and Pine Tree, patrol leader Emerson Flagg, Troop No. 20, Newtown; Stag, patrol leader John Bockius, and Pine Tree, patrol leader Mackie Corson, Troop No. 28, Southampton; and Indian, patrol leader

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Marie Missera Celebrates Her Seventh Anniversary

Marie Missera, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Missera, Jackson street, celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary, on Saturday afternoon, a group of playmates assembling for a merry time between the hours of two and five.

Games were enjoyed by, and refreshments served to, the following: Joyce and Jean Conca, Helen and Rita Ciotti, Janet Quaranta, Judy Fox, Audrey Paulette, Elvira Missera.

Prizes were given to Rita and Helen Ciotti.

Woman Sets Fire To Police Department Bedding

A Trenton woman attempted to make things hot for the Bristol police early Saturday evening when she, according to the police, deliberately set fire to the bedding in the detention room of the Municipal Building here.

Today Mrs. Johanna Moore, 37, N. Clinton avenue, Trenton, N. J., was charged with malicious mischief and Chief Jones asked Justice of Peace Edward Lynn to hold her for court. Judge Lynn complied with the request.

Mrs. Moore fell into the hands of the police late Saturday afternoon, when the officers took her into custody because they said she was "intoxicated." Previous to that she had been along the Highway near Mill street, where it was said she was making herself objectionable.

After being slated Mrs. Moore was placed in the detention room and a short while after Chief Jones smelled smoke. He went to investigate and he found the mattress, sheet and pillow of the bed in the detention room ablaze.

The police say that Mrs. Moore deliberately set fire to the bedding and it is for this reason that they have charged her with malicious mischief.

Showing her lack of appreciation for the hospitality of the police in giving her comfortable quarters in the detention room, Mrs. Moore was removed to one of the tier of cells reserved for women and where she could not do any damage.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

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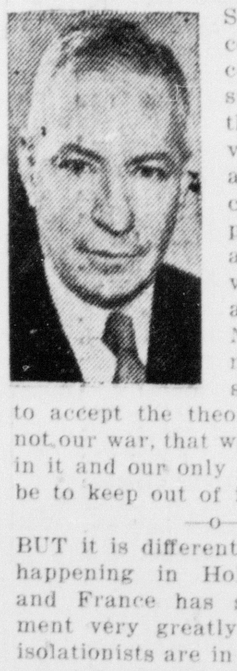
The Country Turns

Washington, May 18.



SO far as this country is concerned the most striking effect of the terrific developments abroad is in the changed atmosphere here. Even after Hitler invaded Denmark and conquered Norway a good many people seemed disposed to accept the theory that this is not our war, that we have no stake in it and our only concern should be to keep out of it.

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BUT it is different now. What is happening in Holland, Belgium and France has switched sentiment very greatly. The extreme isolationists are in retreat and the country as a whole is behind the President's new defense program. There is no longer any pretense that the Allied cause is not our cause. There is now general recognition that it is merely enlightened selfishness to help the Allies in every way "short of war." What was needed to make us face the realities was a prospect of Nazi success. It has been ironic justice that certain aspiring candidates for the Presidency who thought the trend was one way and rushed in that direction should find now that the country has turned on them.

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OBVIOUSLY, there will be slight opposition to making the more than a billion-dollar appropriation for which Mr. Roosevelt asks. It, of course, is pretty bad that the reckless waste of the past eight years has so weakened Federal finances that they are in poor condition to stand this additional strain. It is deplorable, too, that our army and navy should be in so inadequate a state, despite the seven billions appropriated since 1934 and despite Mr. Roosevelt's insistence that the things said to that effect by men who ought to know are not true. But this is an emergency and neither these things nor the question of how the billion is to be raised without breaking the national credit should stand in the way of affirmative

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THREE HURT IN A THREE-CAR CRASH; ONE MAN ARRESTED

Frank Fiocco, Cornwells Hts.; Two Philadelphians Are Injured

ON SATURDAY EVENING

Newportville Man is Charged With Operating A Car While Intoxicated

With three people severely injured Saturday evening, in a three-car collision at the bridge which carries Bristol Pike over the Neshaminy Creek at Croydon, the driver of one machine is being held in the county jail at Doylestown, on a charge of drunken driving.

Those injured are:

Frank Fiocco, Railroad avenue, Cornwells Heights, brain concussion, possible fracture of the left ribs, abrasions and lacerations of nose, right hand, and knees.

Miss Blanche Genter, Williams street, Philadelphia, brush burns and bruises of left thigh and elbow.

Hugh Lavery, Welsh Road, Philadelphia, brain concussion, possible fracture of ribs, lacerations of forehead, abrasions of both hands, knees and legs.

Arrested in the case is Robert Duncan, Craig avenue, Newportville, driver of one of the cars, the charge being driving while drunk. Duncan, who is now in Doylestown, will be given a hearing. He was arrested by Officer Erdman, of Oxford Valley barracks, Pennsylvania Motor Police, who investigated the case.

According to the police report, Duncan attempted to pass the car operated by Victor Nathan, N. 15th street, Philadelphia, who was travelling in the same direction. The Duncan car is said to have sideswiped the Fiocco car, travelling in the opposite direction, Fiocco's machine being pulled around and ramming head-on into the Nathan machine. All three cars were considerably damaged.

Duncan's wife and daughter who were riding with him, were unhurt.

Miss Genter was removed to Frankford Hospital; and Fiocco and Lavery to the Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia.

At the time of the crash, Miss Genter was riding with Nathan, and Lavery was a passenger in the Fiocco machine.

Passersby and members of Bucks County Rescue Squad, took the injured to hospitals.

Mrs. John Bruce Dies At Emilie; Ill Long Time

EMILIE, May 20—Mrs. Rosa Sarah Bruce (nee Potteiger), wife of John Bruce, died on Saturday afternoon at the home of her son, Charles Bruce, at the Bolton Farm.

Mrs. Bruce, who had resided here for the past 16 years, had been confined to her bed for a period of 15 weeks. Death was caused by a heart ailment. She came to this community from West Chester.

The deceased, who was 68 years of age, was a member of the Ladies' Aid of Emilie Methodist Church, and an active worker in the church.

In addition to her husband, she leaves the following daughter and sons: Mrs. George Stewart, Milltown; Frank, of Manoa; John, Jr., of Darby; Warren, of Bristol R. D. 2; Charles and William, of Bristol R. D.

The Rev. Samuel Gaskill, pastor of Emilie Methodist Church, will conduct the service on Wednesday at 12 o'clock noon, from the late home of the deceased. Interment will be at Glenmoore, with Harold H. Haefner, funeral director, in charge. Friends may call Tuesday evening at the Bruce home.

Little Bristol Tot Goes Sightseeing in Big City

A Bristol mother had a hectic shopping tour in Trenton Saturday afternoon when her five-year-old offspring wandered off to see the sights of the city. Little Franklin J. West, 717 Wood street, was later found tired out as he sat in a doorway on East Hanover street and he was just a bit frightened when he began to realize that mother was missing. But he got a ride in a red radio police car and was returned to his mother by a man wearing a lot of buttons on his coat.

Mrs. Glenn West went shopping in a South Broad street department store in Trenton. About three o'clock she missed her little son, whom she had been watching every minute of the afternoon and his absence was noticed almost immediately but he had gone.

The frantic mother telephoned police headquarters to see if they had found any trace of the youngster. Lieutenant Mullen said they had not, but promised to send several officers to search for him. A half-hour later he was found in a doorway on East Hanover street, completely tired and just a little bit frightened by the world hurrying by. Patrolman Nicholas Lichtfuss carried him in a police radio car to where his mother was waiting, now on the verge of collapse. She was too overjoyed at seeing her son again to scold him for wandering away.

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SECRET WEAPON

Wild rumors have followed the easy capture of the powerful Belgian fort at Eben Emael by German forces near Liege. According to dispatches, there is something very mysterious in the surrender of 1,000 soldiers with little show of resistance; and immediately military experts get busy inventing a reason. The answer is the "secret weapon" of which Hitler has been boasting.

Even if this is only imagination, the German high command is encouraging the idea. Guesses run all the way from a super-bomb or an irresistible flame-thrower to a magic gas that temporarily attacks the nerves and leaves its victims at the mercy of the invaders. About the only thing ruled out is a pocket submarine.

Excitement was caused during the World War by reports of an invisible "death ray" which could kill at long distance. Yet in all the ensuing years the best the scientists have been able to do is kill insects and small animals a few feet away.

It is not easy, however, to explain away the Eben Emael capitulation. German sources say, whether for propaganda can only be conjectured, that a Lieutenant Witzig landed with a small air force and by use of the mysterious weapon opened the way in no time for the attacking columns.

Fantastic as it sounds, the possibility that Hitler really has a device which causes resistance to crumble cannot be dismissed. If it is true, then its nature will be discovered and some effective defense developed. Gases can be met by new types of gas mask. New explosives capable of wrecking whole blocks are not a German monopoly.

The danger is that before an answer can be found for the "secret weapon," if there is such a thing, Hitler will have gained his immediate objectives. The fact that he is reported to have released it now indicates how vital he believes the drive through the low countries is.

"TELEVISED" CONVENTIONS

Announcement that the Republican National Convention at Philadelphia will be "televised"—to use the current barbarism—opens fascinating possibilities. According to Chairman John D. M. Hamilton, the combined resources of the National Broadcasting Company and the Philco Radio and Television Corporation will bring convention scenes to residents of an area within a 90-mile radius who have television receiving sets.

Although this service is in its infancy, being limited to short distances until relaying stations are established, the prospect that at some future time intimate views of political conventions will be "televised" recalls the influence of radio on oratory. Realization that the sound of his voice was carried to millions of homes put a brake on the blatherskite tendencies of many a speaker. Television may well curb certain modes of behavior not uncommon on convention floors and rostrums.

But television, like radio, will not eliminate the demagogue. It will merely compel him to effect refinements in his style.

Canadian authorities are hiking the tax on cigarettes so that soon a package of twenty will retail for twenty-five cents, with the smokers saying they will quit smoking before they will pay it. Anybody would but an American.

ECHOES OF THE PAST

THE STORY THE TEA-LEAVES TOLD

By Doron Green

(This story is a combination of truth and fiction. Such a robber once lived in Bristol and his exposure caused a great deal of excitement. His home was found to be filled with stolen articles.

In a cozy, little home on Radcliffe street, Bristol, a spirited argument is taking place between husband and wife. Let us listen in on the conversation.

The wife is talking: "John, you are a big fool; you cannot continue as you have without being caught, and exposure means humiliation and shame, not only to you, but to me as well. The townspeople look upon you as an honest, upright citizen. You are prominent in the work of the church and Sunday school. Little do your friends realize the double life you are leading. What a disgrace when they find that you are a common thief and that hidden beneath the rafters and under the floors can be found stolen goods. Stolen from friends and neighbors who have trusted you and still have confidence in you.

"Won't you stop, John, before it is too late?"

The husband remained quiescent, and, seeing that her appeal to his better manhood was in vain, the wife left the room.

For several years many robberies had been committed in Bristol and, although High Constable John Worrell and the Police Committee of Borough Council had united in their efforts to run down the robber, no clues could be found. The fact that the robberies were always timed when the constable had relinquished his efforts and sent his special officers home for the night, seemed, seemed substantial proof that the culprit was someone in close touch with the efforts of the police.

At last the robberies occurred so often that High Constable Worrell swore in a number of special officers to act as a posse, and these men he stationed at different points in the town, and awaited developments. Let us look in again at the home of John ——. His wife, who is very angry, is talking: "You think you are a smart Aleck joining the posse and being sworn in by Constable Worrell. Can't you see that the law is closing in on you? You can't resist the temptation to steal in the district in which are you stationed and then the suspicion will rest upon you. Once suspicion is aroused it spreads rapidly and cares nothing for character or reputation. Once more I appeal to you, John, to give up this double life you are leading before it is too late and you are engulfed by shame, remorse and disgrace." John, without replying, arose and went out the door.

In a few nights his wife's prophecy came true and several robberies occurred in the district where John had been appointed. Constable Worrell changed the location of his men and, a few nights afterward, robberies took place in the district where John had been sent. At last suspicion was directed toward him, but it was hard for Constable Worrell to believe that one of his best friends, and one who stood so high in the community, could be a common thief.

The young man who held the position of Clerk of Borough Council was in the drygoods and grocery business in the third ward, and several times his store had been robbed. One night he was seen crossing the lot toward the flood-gates east of Bath street above Buckley street. After crossing the flood-gates he continued his way, following the shore of the Mill Pond, until he came to a single house among the many houses that had been erected in that neighborhood. Let us enter with him and observe what happens. An elderly colored woman was sitting in a chair with a table before her on which rested a tea cup. The Borough Clerk explained to her that a number of robberies had been committed within the borough during the past year and, although every effort had been made to apprehend the culprit, nothing had been accomplished. Could she do anything to help, he asked.

At first the colored lady said nothing, but busied herself with the tea leaves within the cup. After stirring them for some time, she suddenly stopped and began to talk, but not to anyone in particular:

"I see a tall man with an honest face, one who would pass for a Christian gentleman. He resides in a house on Radcliffe near ——— street." Then she paused.

"This man apparently is leading a double life. I see him breaking into a house under cover of darkness. His home is filled with stolen articles, and his wife is frantic lest he shall be discovered." Once more she paused.

"I see the posse which has been organized, and he is among them. The position of the leaves indicate that if the High Constable will watch this man surprising results will be achieved."

The Borough Clerk returned to his home very much disturbed. He did not want to believe the fortune-teller but her description of the thief and the place of his residence were so startling that he was forced to admit that the interview had impressed him deeply. Hunting up Constable Worrell, the next morning, he informed him what the fortune-teller had said. Together they agreed to set a trap for the robber. If it worked, all would be well and, if it failed, no one would know about it.

Accordingly, a few nights after the interview with the fortune-teller, when the posse had been assigned to their respective places, the Constable and Clerk quietly made their way to the district where the suspected robber had been appointed. From a secluded place they watched developments. About one o'clock, they noticed a man entering a yard back of Dorrance street. Stealing quietly up the alley, they saw him pry open a shutter and enter the house. Shortly he came out, using a tablecloth for a bag which was filled with stolen goods. As the robber came out of the yard into the alley, Constable Worrell and the Borough Clerk grabbed him by the shoulders.

Seeing that resistance was useless and that he had been caught red-handed the thief, who was none other than the respected gentleman who resided on Radcliffe street, confessed that it was he who had been committing the robberies and that he was ready to pay the penalty for his misdoings.

The next morning the town was startled by the news. Some citizens were severe in their denunciation, while others were inclined to be merciful. Constable Worrell was terribly upset as the prisoner was his personal friend. As the days passed the prisoner's wife made restitution wherever possible. At last, upon the prisoner's promise to leave town promptly, he was released.

In time the excitement quieted down but the Borough Clerk and Constable Worrell could never forget the accurate information imparted by the fortune-teller. Could she have had any konwledge of the finger of suspicion pointing to a certain individual and enlarged upon it? Or were her conclusions simply a coincidence? Surely no sensible man would want to believe that a few tea leaves in the bottom of a tea cup would, by their position, accurately reveal the culprit.

The Great Game of Politics

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action. The first thing is to give the money.

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HOWEVER, there is nothing in the situation that excuses either personal or political hysteria. Some of the suggestions that have been put forth within the last two days at least border on that state. They indicate a degree of panic not justified by the facts. Certainly acquiescence in the Roosevelt request for a billion-dollar appropriation should not carry with it abandonment of the right either to criticize or question. We are not at war. Everybody hopes we will not have to go to war, and there is certainly no necessity and less sense in becoming, in effect, a totalitarian state in order to prepare for war.

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ON the contrary, the very fact that under the present Executive so many billions have been wasted is the soundest of reasons for the opposition to retain its sense of balance and not be swept off its feet by clamor. For example, it would seem in the national interesst to insist that the spending of this money is more important than appropriating it. If it is to be effectually spent, both American industry and the governmental departments concerned have got to be relieved of some of the respective New Deal legislation which cramps production and interferes with obtaining supplies.

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IF it is to be effectually spent some new and competent nonpartisan agency, able and willing to get the facts, ought to be put in charge. The great need is to lift this whole business of preparedness above the level of party or factional politics. It needs to be taken out of the realm where the palace politicians can gloat over what the war and the defense billions mean for the success of their third-term plans—which is what they are now doing. Of course, Mr. Roosevelt could accomplish that at any moment in a single statement. And it would put him on a pinacle such as no President ever occupied before, and such as he can occupy in no other way.

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BUT, if his friends are to be believed, there is slight chance of his making the "great renunciation" now. Certainly they are violently opposed to it. They are willing enough that he should invite a Republican ike Col. Frank Knox into the Cabinet and set up a nonpartisan commission to make a survey, recommend special taxes or spend the money. But, renounce a third term, no! With it now practically in his grasp, that, they point out, would be foolish.

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PERHAPS before this is printed the President will have made some move toward a nonpartisan setup and the creation of some agency competent to co-ordinate industry and get results from the expenditures. His conference with Colonel Knox on Thursday and his luncheon with Mr. B. M. Baruch on Saturday indicate a move in these directions. But there is nothing to indicate a move in the other direction. On the contrary, while the whole program is with the view of protecting ourselves from the threat of a dictator over there, we are invited to subscribe to the theory of the indispensable man over here. It is illogical, undesirable and not in the national interest.

YARDLEY

Announcements have been received of the birth of a daughter, Barbara Virginia, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Handy, West Grove, on May 11th, in West Grove Hospital. Mrs. Handy will be remembered as Miss Dorothy Abernathy, a former teacher in the third grade of Yardley school.

Real Estate for Sale

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LEGAL

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Margaret P. Mitchener, late of the Borough of Bristol, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement, and all having legal claims against same are requested to present them promptly in proper form for settlement to

HAROLD G. MITCHENER, Executor,
528 Swain Street,
Bristol, Pa.

Or to his Attorney,
HORACE N. DAVIS, Attorney,
205 Radcliffe Street,
Bristol, Pa.

4-15—6tow.

NOTICE

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

In the matter of MARGARET S. WILLARD Bankrupt. } In Bankruptcy No. 21270

To the Creditors of MARGARET S WILLARD, of Yardley, in the County of Bucks and State of Pennsylvania Bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the TWENTIETH day of June, A. D. 1940 at 10.00 A. M. (D. S. T.), a meeting will be held at the Office of the Referee Hart Building, Doylestown, Pa., to pass on Bankrupt's Application for Discharge, and such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

ROBERT G. HENDRICKS, Referee in Bankruptcy

May 17, 1940.

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"TITAN TOWER" by JAMES G. CHESNUTT

Story to Date

Thrust into each other's acquaintance as they aid a man pinned in elevator machinery of new skyscraper, Titan Tower, Dr. Bill Blaine and Nurse Linda Morton see hints of mutual attraction. Linda can hardly conceal her warm, sudden affection for the handsome young doctor. In fact, she lapses into happy daze of romance after Dr. Blaine praises her work. Later, however, she vividly recalls her joyful life with Mike Morton, aviator, until she told him she was to have a child. Try as he might, Mike could not conceal his displeasure.

CHAPTER FIVE

Later, as each day took them further and further apart, Mike tried increasingly hard to hide his real feelings. Linda thought that if he hadn't tried so obviously to be a good sport she could have forgiven him more easily.

But if Linda's love for Mike was to die, it was that first shock, that emotional trauma, which rendered that love hopelessly crippled, never to recover as long as Mike lived.

Mike Morton, the perfect lover, was woefully miscast as Mike Morton, prospective papa. He just didn't click in the part.

It was funny about "Junior." They had been very grown up and parentally concerned about their "child," when that offspring was a building of steel and stone and not their own flesh and blood.

"Junior," of course, was what they called Titan Tower. She and Mike had watched its birth, had watched it grow and develop and mature; had wondered about the life which was to go on within the confines of its towering walls. They had known Titan Tower before it had that name. From their birds'-eye point of vantage in the air, as Trip 9 flew over the site daily, they had watched it grow from debris of razed old buildings, to a huge excavation, through its skeleton stages to become a towering thing of beauty and utility. And they had been proud of it.

"Junior looks very well today," Mike used to comment when they set down at Portland. "Much taller and filling out rapidly."

Mike was proud of that baby, all right—a mighty infant cradled in concrete. But this was different.

It was strange, too, Linda thought, that it was in this same building that she first met Janice Marberry, her dearest friend. And Mike Morton was indirectly the cause of that meeting. The day when Linda walked through the massive, severely beautiful portals of Titan Tower, was whisked up to the nineteenth floor and opened the insurance company door to see Janice's sweet, sympathetic face with a friendly greeting almost voiced in her smile, was the first time that Linda had ever set foot in the building.

She and Mike had never been there together. They were too busy having a gay, carefree time—Mike's way.

And then, suddenly one thick foggy night, much like the night they had sat by the fire and had seen their lives fall apart, it was too late.

The swirling steam from the hot cup of tea, which Mrs. Blauer had forced into Linda's listless hand, eddied upward like that same fog.

And, through it, Linda seemed to see not the face of Mike Morton, who had crushed love, although trying not to, but that of a young doctor who had stirred its ashes.

Bill Blaine's work, like Mike's, took him to the skies. And "Junior" had introduced them. She lapsed into a fitful sleep and dreamt she was being pushed into a fog-filled pit. . . .

If Linda had to die that way, she would die fighting. Somebody with powerful, prehensile hands was pushing, tugging, dragging her from her perch on a beam, high above a fog-filled pit. Linda fought with every ounce of strength, fought desperately to fend off a horrible fate.

She was falling, falling . . . falling, when a firm, strong hand reached out and caught her, pulled her to breathless safety. . . .

Linda opened her eyes to look into Mrs. Blauer's pleasant motherly face, framed in neatly combed gray hair; to see Mrs. Blauer's capable hand cupped under Linda's elbow and to hear the friendly neighbor say:

"Good heavens, child! What did you think was happening? Person would think I was trying to kill you instead of wake you up."

Linda smiled wanly and looked down to Mrs. Blauer's side, where Mickey, solemn and staring, stood.

"Mother," he asked sternly, "why did you fight Mrs. Blauer? You hit her."

"Mother had a bad dream, darling," Linda explained. "Whew!" she exclaimed, glancing at the watch on her wrist. "Mother has to get going if we're going to have any dinner. You run along now and get Dopey and wash his face and yours, to be ready for dinner."

Mrs. Blauer, a genuine, good-hearted woman, whose own brood was grown and gone from home, lavished her great store of motherly love on Linda and her boy.

After Mrs. Blauer had gone home, Linda tried to take stock of the reasons she had for being grateful to her neighbor, of the great debt she owed Mrs. Blauer—a debt which no money could repay.

Mrs. Blauer had been a second mother to Mickey ever since that day he was brought home from the hospital, a premature baby with a long uphill fight ahead of him. Linda had read in some magazine for mothers that a premature baby would be probably retarded in development, in many ways, at least up until 5 years old. She had voiced this fear to the pleasant neighbor whose clothesline was on speaking terms with that of the small apartment which Linda had taken after she was alone—alone with her delicate child.

"Pshaw!" Mrs. Blauer had exclaimed when Linda recited her fears. "This modern parent talk is all hobblety-gobble. He's as fine and husky a boy as ever I saw. If I do say it, he's much brighter for his age than even my own Henry and Phil."

"Mother," Mickey asked sternly, "why did you fight Mrs. Blauer?"

(To be continued)

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Announcements

Deaths 1

NOCITO—At Bristol, Pa., May 16, 1940, Joseph, husband of Rose Felice Nocito. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 204 Penn St., Bristol, Monday, at 9 o'clock. High Mass in St. Ann's Church at 10 o'clock. Interment St. Mark's Cemetery.

Cards of Thanks 2

WE WISH TO THANK—All persons who donated prizes or assisted in any way in making our recent card party the success that it proved to be. THE ANDALUSIA PARENT-TEACHER ASS'N

Funeral Directors 5

UNDERTAKER — William I. Murphy Estate, 316 Jefferson avenue, Bristol, Pa., phone 2417.

MOLDEN FUNERAL SERVICE—Bristol, Pa., phone 2217 or 2169. Within the means of all.

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FREE—New European News Map and the Latest Fisherman's Guide. Richfield Service Station, Pond & Jeff.

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BEFORE YOU BUY—That used car, look at our selection. Simpson Chevrolet, Inc., 222 E. Bridge St., Morrisville.

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AS LITTLE AS $100—Opens an investment account. Current dividend 4%. All accounts are insured by Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation. A tax free investment at an attractive interest rate. Information cheerfully furnished. First Federal Savings & Loan Ass'n of Bucks Co., 118 Mill St., Bristol, Pa., Hugh B. Eastburn, Sec'y.

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PIANO INSTRUCTION—Elementary & Advanced Courses. Firman Piano Studio, 242 Mill St., phone 516.

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5th Ave. & State Rd., Croydon, Pa.
Phone Bristol 2321
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COAL—Chestnut & stove, $7; pea, $6.50; buckwheat, $5. L. Comfort, phone Bristol 2711.

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PARTIES .... SOCIAL EVENTS .... ACTIVITIES

Eighty Gather To Welcome Couple After Long Trip

A "welcome home" party was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. John D. Weik, Jefferson avenue, on Saturday evening, by members of the Social Circle, in First Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Weik recently returned from a four months' stay in Tucson, Arizona.

Eighty were assembled as Mr. and Mrs. Weik entered the room. On Mrs. Weik's head was a large straw, Mexican hat, three feet in diameter, and draped about her was a colorful Mexican scarf. Mr. Weik wore a felt "10-gallon" hat, and a yellow silk scarf of the cowboys.

Mrs. Fred Gould, who acted as president of the Circle in Mrs. Weik's absence, gave a welcoming speech, and turned the program over to Gilbert Lovett. After prayer by the pastor, the Rev. Howard L. Zepp, the group sang. A piano duet was given by Miss Rae Vandegrift and Mrs. Howard L. Zepp.

Mr. Lovett then called upon Mrs. Weik to tell of the flowers of Tucson, which proved very interesting. Mr. Weik gave a graphic account of the homes in Tucson; and Mr. Weik's uncle, Julian McLaughlin, told of the growth of Tucson since he became a resident there 27 years ago. Mr. McLaughlin is a former Bristolian.

An original poem telling of pleasure over the return of the Weiks was read by Mr. Lovett. Selections by Mr. Lovett on the musical saw and the guitar, were accompanied by pianist, Miss Winifred Tracy.

To Mrs. Weik a bouquet of flowers was presented by Mrs. Gould on behalf of the Circle.

After group singing, refreshments of ice cream and home-made cake were served.

Events for Tonight

Card party by American Legion Auxiliary in Bracken Post home. 8.30 p. m.

In a Personal Way - -

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. . . .

Thomas Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Stewart, Bath street, is ill at his home with scarlet fever.

Mrs. Duncan MacPherson, New York City, formerly of Bristol, spent two days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferguson, East Circle, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whyatt, Wilson avenue.

Miss Carrie Rapp and Arthur Peterson, New Buckley street, spent Friday until Sunday with Mr. Peterson's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchel, Hempstead, L. I.

Russell W. DeLong, North Radcliffe street, spent Thursday until Saturday in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Egan, Radcliffe street, spent the week-end with Mr. Egan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Egan, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lebo, Jr., and daughter Patricia, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lebo, Sr., Jackson street, were visitors during the past week of relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Minnie Bevan, Dorrance street, visited Miss Elizabeth Bevan, Devon, a day last week. Henry Most, Merchantville, N. J., spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Bevan.

Mrs. William Borchers, Mrs. Helen Campbell and son Harry, Jr., and Miss Bertha Borchers, Wilson avenue, motored to Pittsburgh on Friday and remained until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William B. Franks.

Miss Edna Hellings, Bath Road, spent a day during the past week with Mrs. Murray Richman, Frankford.

Guests of Mr an.d Mrs. John Downs, Radcliffe street, during the past week, were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker, Mrs. Ida Diver, Wilbur Diver, and Joseph Diver, Penns Grove, N. J.

Mrs. Craig and son Jack, Mayfair, were visitors the latter part of the week of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Arnold, Radcliffe street.

Mrs. John B. Reed and daughter Beverly Ann, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher, Pine street, for nine weeks, left Saturday for their home in Mattapoisette, Mass. They were accompanied by William Gallagher and Miss Alice Gallagher, who returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell, Ocean City, N. J., were guests during the past week of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brudon, Cedar street.

Today's Quiet Moment

(By Howard L. Zepp, Th. M.)

Lord, we thank Thee for the faithful souls that have blessed the world, whose lives shine as the light. Help us to carry forward the torch they have handed down to us. Let us not falter or complain of the tasks which fall to us to do. Amen.

YARDLEY

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Russell S. Countant, of "The Cleve," to the wedding of their daughter, Georgette Coutant, to Alexander Marston Strathie, son of Dr. A. J. Strathie, Newtown, in St. Andrew's P. E. Church, on June 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse H. Harper, Mrs. Lucy A. Harper, and Miss Gladys A. Harper were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Victor J. Humbrecht, Philadelphia.

ON THE SCREENS

GRAND THEATRE

The team of Clark Gable and Joan Crawford, which co-starred with marked success five times before, rises to new heights by reason of two of the season's most memorable performances in "Strange Cargo," which opened Sunday at the Grand Theatre.

As convict Verne Andre, desperado who escapes a South American penal colony, Gable reasserts his superiority as an actor as well as a personality, for his conception of the role carries all the true shading of an understanding artist. As the cynical cafe entertainer, Julie, who is finally willing to sacrifice herself because she could not accomplish the reform she longed for in Verne's character, Joan Crawford re-establishes the standing as a dramatic actress which was conceded her for her work in "The Women."

BRISTOL THEATRE

Scintillating comedy and high intrigue vie for the spotlight, against the romantic background of little known South Africa, in "Adventures in Diamonds," which opened last night at the Bristol Theatre, with George Brent and Isa Miranda co-starred.

Illuminated by witty dialogue and hilarious situations, "Adventure in Diamonds" charts the astonishing career of a beautiful lady crook, her bold attempt to rifle the world's most closely-guarded treasure hoard and her stormy romance with a handsome young Royal Air Force officer in glamorous, faraway Cape Town.

RITZ THEATRE

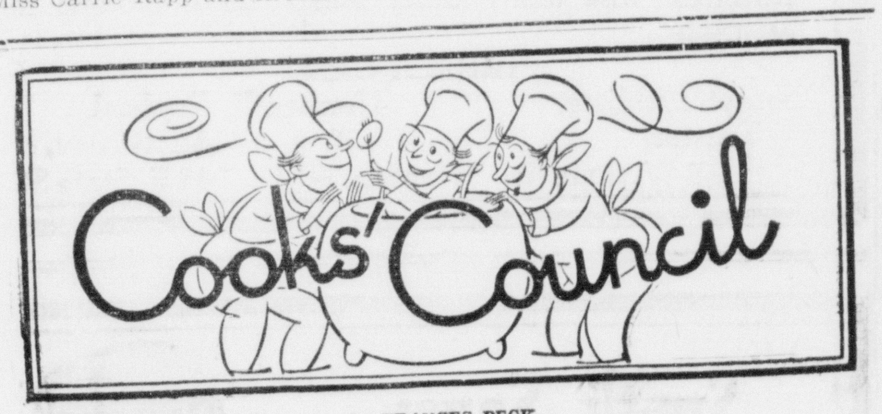
Jeffrey Lynn is very definite in his opinions concerning pipes and women.

Not that he wants his pipes strong and his women weak. That's a couple of other fellows.

He would travel hundreds of miles to pick up a good pipe.

He proved that when he took advantage of a free week-end while filming "A Child Is Born," the Warner Bros. picture, to run down to Tia Juana, Mexico, a distance of some 300-odd miles round trip, just to pick up a pipe.

The picture is now at the Ritz Theatre.



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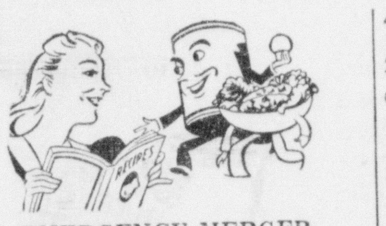


EMERGENCY MERGER

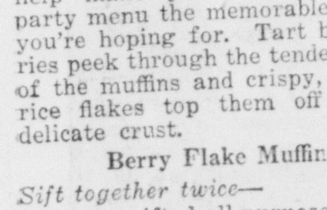
When you're casting about for food ideas with which to impress an impromptu guest, a merger of emergency shelf staples into Jiffy Spaghetti is just your dish. It's a quick one of outstanding taste appeal in which tender canned spaghetti, lush with nippy tomato sauce, joins forces with delicate sautéed mushrooms and spicy deviled ham to make a most satisfying entrée. To go with it, toss together a salad of crisp greens, then heat some rolls and your main course worries are replaced by a warm glow resulting from enthusiastic praise.

Jiffy Spaghetti

Fry—
1 8-oz. can sliced mushrooms
in—
2 tablespoons butter.
Add—
1 large (24-oz.) can cooked spaghetti in tomato sauce
2 4-oz. cans deviled ham
4 tablespoons mushroom liquor.

Heat thoroughly and serve. (Serves 4-6.)

Note: For more variety, canned macaroni in cream sauce with cheese may be substituted for the spaghetti.



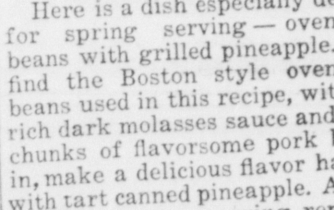
MEMORABLE MUFFINS

Let this brand new muffin recipe help make your next breakfast party menu the memorable success you're hoping for. Tart blackberries peek through the tender depths of the muffins and crispy, crunchy rice flakes top them off with a delicate crust.

Berry Flake Muffins

Sift together twice—
2 cups sifted all-purpose flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons sugar.
Combine—
1 cup milk
1 egg, well beaten
3 tablespoons butter, melted
1 cup well drained canned blackberries.
Have ready—
Rice flakes.

Make a depression in center of dry ingredients, then pour in milk mixture all at once. Immediately stir vigorously, just enough to dampen flour. The batter will look very lumpy. Fill well greased muffin pans three-fourths full, then sprinkle tops generously with rice flakes. Bake in a hot oven (425° F.) 20 minutes. Serve at once. (12 muffins.)



FOR SPRING SERVING

Here is a dish especially designed for spring serving — oven-baked beans with grilled pineapple. You'll find the Boston style oven-baked beans used in this recipe, with their rich dark molasses sauce and plump chunks of flavorsome pork blended in, make a delicious flavor harmony with tart canned pineapple. And this addition to your spring repertoire gives you an entrée that conveniently lends itself to quick serving.

Boston Baked Beans With Grilled Pineapple

Place in shallow casserole—
2 medium (18-oz.) cans oven-baked beans, Boston style.
Cut in halves and place on top in attractive arrangement—
3 slices canned pineapple.
Dot with—
Butter.

Bake in a moderate oven (375° F.) 30 minutes. (Serves 6.)

Note: Pineapple slices may be browned in skillet with butter and served on platter with beans, if desired.

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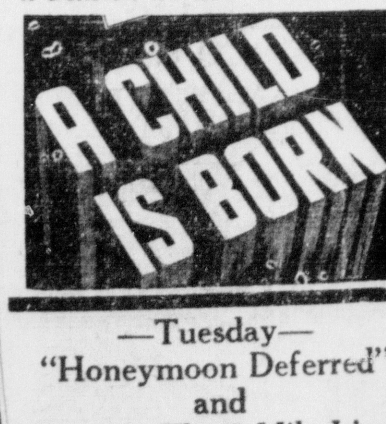

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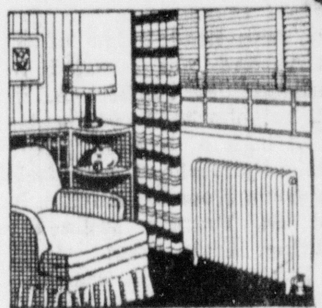
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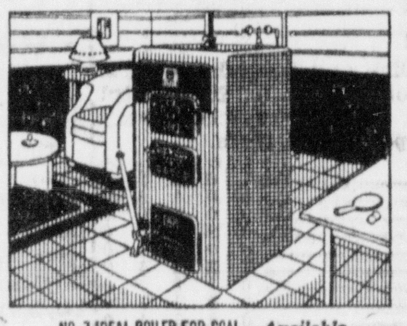
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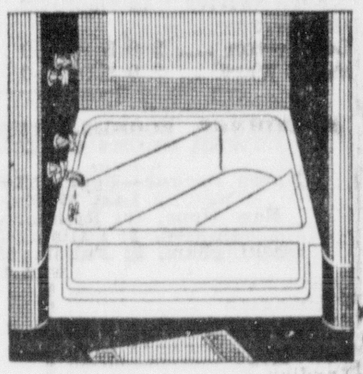
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LANDRETH SEEDS WIN TWO GAMES DURING WEEK-END

"Farmers" Defeat Bacharach Giants at Landreth Park By Score of 12 to 1

WIN AT LANCASTER

Locals Victorious Over All-Lancaster Nine at Lancaster By Score of 8 to 4

Landreth Seeds baseball team won two games over the week-end, winning on Saturday over the Bacharach Giants at Landreth Ball Park 12-1 and yesterday at Lancaster 8 to 4 in ten innings.

Al Carey held the Giants to seven scattered hits in pitching the Seeds to victory on Saturday and with perfect support would have scored a shut-out. Deboskey's error on Jenkins and Child's two base hit in the third inning allowed the run.

The "Farmers" batted Sunket the visitors starting pitcher out of the box after 4 2-3 innings and Barber who replaced him was treated just as bad. The home team made seventeen hits, Liberatore, Lodge and Deboskey each making three.

Yesterday at Lancaster the Seeds won a hair-raising ten inning battle from the All-Lancaster team 8-4.

With the score a tie at 4-4 in the final inning and two out Johnnie Miksis reached first when Noble fumbled his hot smash. Claude Lodge counted him with a home run drive along the right field line, David's base on balls and Rossi's homer to the right field seats gave the Farmers a four run lead.

For seven innings the game was an interesting mound duel between Paul Billett the Lebanon Valley College star on the mound for the home team and Lonnie Heisler, each team having scored two runs. Billett allowing seven hits and Heisler five.

Hits by Liberatore, Miksis and David along with an outfield fly by Lodge gave the Farmers a two run advantage in the eighth inning.

The home team rallied with two runs in the ninth, tieing the score. Leaby singled with one out and Noble was safe on David's error, after Miller flied out Baxter hit a low line drive which Rockhill failed to hold and two runners counted. Billett followed with a two base drive to left field, but fast fielding by Miksis who threw to Rossi nailed Baxter at the plate with what would have been the winning tally.

The batting of David with three hits and a one handed catch by W. Miller in right field which robbed Lodge of a sure homer were the feature.

Thursday night the Landreth team will play the Phila. Clowns in the opening twilight game and Sunday, Penn A. C. will be the attraction at Landreth Ball Park.

Landreth	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Rockhill cf	5	0	1	2	0	1
Liberatore 2b	5	1	2	3	3	0
Miksis lf	5	2	2	2	1	0
Lodge rf	5	1	1	3	0	0
David ss	5	2	3	0	2	1
Rossi 3b	5	1	1	0	5	0
Broderick c	5	0	2	8	1	0
Griggs 1b	5	0	2	12	0	0
Heisler p	3	1	0	0	2	0
Costello ss	0	0	0	0	2	0
	43	8	14	30	16	2

All Lancaster	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Hahn 3b	4	1	0	4	1	0
J. Miller 2b	5	0	1	1	1	0
Farves lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Stroud 1b	5	0	0	9	1	0
Leahy cf	4	1	2	5	0	0
Noble ss	4	2	0	5	3	2
W. Miller rf	4	0	1	3	1	0
Pfeiffer c	1	0	0	3	1	0
Billett p	4	0	2	0	4	0
Holtzman c	2	0	0	0	0	0
Baxter lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
	38	4	8	30	12	2

Innings:
Landreth 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 2 0 4—8
All Lancaster 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0—4

Runs batted in: Liberatore, Lodge 3, David, Rossi 2, Broderick, Farves, Baxter 3. Home runs: Lodge, Rossi. Three base hit: Hahn. Two-base hit: Liberatore, David, Billett. Stolen base: David, Leahy, Noble, Hahn. Double plays: Heisler to Liberatore to Griggs; Noble (unassisted); Billett to Noble to Stroud. Left on bases: Landreth, 6; Lancaster, 6. Struck out: by Heisler, 6; by Billett, 3. Base on balls: off Heisler, 2; off Billett, 2. Umpires: Bendigo and Lyons. Time: 2 hrs., 17 minutes. Scorer: F. G. Ellis.

Bacharach Gts.	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Jenkins ss	4	1	0	2	3	0
Childs 2b	4	0	3	1	0	1
Washington cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Williams 1b	4	0	0	9	0	0
Hill 3b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Whynn c	2	0	2	4	1	0
Brown c	2	0	0	2	0	0
Mitchell lf	4	0	1	2	0	1
Stewart rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Sunket p rf	4	0	1	2	1	0
Barber p	2	0	0	0	0	0
	34	1	7	24	8	2

Landreth	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Rockhill cf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Liberatore 2b	5	2	3	2	1	0
Miksis lf	3	1	0	4	0	0
Lodge rf	4	3	3	1	0	0
David 3b	4	1	1	1	5	0
Deboskey ss	5	1	3	0	4	1
Broderick c	5	1	2	8	0	0
Griggs 1b	4	2	2	11	0	0
Carey p	4	0	2	0	2	0
	39	12	17	27	12	1

Innings:
Bacharach 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0— 1
Landreth 0 3 1 2 3 3 0 0 x—12

TEXACO TO PLAY KING A. C.

With two victories under the belt, the Voltz-Texaco team will encounter stiff opposition tonight from the Morrisville team as it clashes with the King A. C. team in a Bristol Suburban League contest. King has won its only game played. It is most likely that Schackleton will do the twirling for the Texas boys with Mazzillo doing the receiving. Vendor and Siltex will be the King battery. Tomorrow night in the Suburban circuit, games will be played at Croydon, Tullytown, Rohm and Haas and Edgely fields.

YARDLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Q. Miller, Glenside, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson H. Miller.

Greinert K. Hammer has returned home after a business trip through the New Englant states.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Satterthwaite are making an extended bus trip to California. They spent some time last week in New Orleans, La.

NEW CHAMP . . . By Jack Sords

FIFTH WARD FINDS VISITORS TOO STRONG

The Fifth Ward Sporting Club softball team, champions of the Bristol Community League, found the opposition of the Lamberton A. A. team, of Trenton, too strong on Grundy's field yesterday and bowed to the visitors, 9-7, in a 10-inning game.

Two hits and a costly error gave the Jerseyites the game, although the Fifth Warders had a chance to deadlock it in their half when they placed runners on first and third with one out but could not advance them.

Danny DiMidio put the Warders in the game in the third by tripling with the bases loaded. The Trenton team scored five times in their part of the frames thanks to a long double to left field by Cebulski with the sacks filled.

Melidio and Quindo did the hurling for the Bristol team while the visiting team's twirler was Cebulski. Score by innings:

Lamberton ...... 2 0 5 0 0 0 0 0 2—9
Fifth Ward .... 2 0 3 0 0 0 2 0 0—7

STANDINGS, SCORES, SCHEDULES OF LOWER BUCKS CO. LEAGUES

Bucco League—Upper Division

—Results Last Week—
New Hope, 10; Richboro, 8
Southampton, 2; Fallsington, 1
Buckingham, 5; Fallsington, 0

	won	lost	%
Buckingham	6	2	.750
Fallsington	6	3	.667
Southampton	4	3	.571
Richboro	4	3	.571
New Hope	3	4	.429
Yardley	0	8	.000

—Schedule This Week—
Tues. May 21—Richboro at Buckingham, New Hope at Southampton.
Fri. May 24—Fallsington at Richboro.

Bucco League—Lower Division

—Results Last Week—
Bensalem, 9; Newtown, 8
Morrisville, 2; Langhorne, 1
Bensalem, 7; Morrisville, 0
Bristol, 8; Langhorne, 0

	won	lost	%
Newtown	5	2	.714
Bristol	4	3	.571
Morrisville	4	3	.571
Bensalem	2	4	.333
Langhorne	2	5	.286

—Schedule This Week—
Tues. May 21—Newtown at Bristol, Langhorne at Bensalem.
Thurs. May 23—Morrisville at Bensalem.

Lower Bucks Softball League

—Results Last Week—
Bensalem, 9; Southampton, 8
Bristol, 22; Newtown, 2
Langhorne, 18; Buckingham, 6

	won	lost	%
Bensalem	5	0	1.000
Southampton	4	1	.800
Bristol	3	1	.750
Langhorne	2	2	.500
Richboro	1	2	.333
Buckingham	1	3	.250
New Hope	1	3	.250
Newtown	0	5	.000

—Schedule This Week—
Wed. May 22—Bensalem at Buckingham, Newtown at Langhorne, Southampton at Richboro, Bristol at New Hope.

YARDLEY

Mr. and Mrs. David Barbour have returned home after spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mrs. Alta Bergen, New York City, is spending a few days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bergen.

Miss Eileen Shanahan, Philadelphia, has returned home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Linford South.

BRISTOL A. A. VICTORS OVER LANSDOWNE

Two runs in the eighth inning gave Johnny Mulholland's Bristol A. A. team a hard-earned victory over the Lansdowne Giants yesterday afternoon on the latter's field in Darby. Final score was Bristol, 4; Lansdowne, 2.

A two-bagger from the bat of Lloyd McGinley with the sacks loaded gave the A. A. their third straight win. Hughes had opened the inning with a hit and was sacrificed by Harrison. Stallone got a bingle and Palowez drew a pass to populate the sacks. Then came Lloyd's ramming double along the left field foul line.

Stan Dick pitched good ball for the A's giving the colored boys but five hits and keeping them well scattered. Willie Bacon of the Giants caught hold of a Dick pitch in the second and slammed it against the left field fence, a drive of 340 feet. He received a triple on the blow.

Stallone, Dick and McGinley with a single and double each led the Bristol team at bat. Stallone reached every time he stepped to the plate.

Lansdowne	r	h	o	a	e
Carey c	1	0	9	2	0
Murray 2b	0	0	1	2	0
Mays cf	0	0	1	0	0
Marion rf	0	2	2	0	0
Bacon 1b	0	0	9	1	0
Bagby 3b	1	2	1	3	0
Blake lf	0	1	2	0	0
Wilson ss	0	0	1	1	0
Coleman p	0	0	1	4	0
	2	5	27	13	0

Bristol	r	h	o	a	e
Hunter cf	0	1	3	0	0
Cahill rf	0	0	2	0	1
Hughes 3b	1	1	1	0	0
Harrison ss	0	0	1	0	0
Stallone 2b	2	2	1	2	0
Palowez 1b	0	0	6	1	0
McGinley lf	0	2	5	0	0
Vanzant c	0	0	7	2	0
Dick p	1	2	1	3	0
	4	8	27	8	1

Innings:
Bristol 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—4
Lansdowne 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0—2

Two-base hits: Stallone, Dick, McGinley. Three-base hits: Bacon. Hit by pitcher: Mays. Struck out by: Dick, 6; Coleman, 9. Base on balls by: Dick, 2; Coleman, 5.

German Mechanized Forces Move Toward Channel, But Paris Threat Diminished

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western Belgium fortifications stand between them and the channel.)

By International News Service

LONDON, May 20—At least 100,000 persons were killed and one-third of the city was destroyed during the German bombardment of the Dutch city of Rotterdam, according to a communique today by the Dutch authorities in Paris.

LONDON, May 20—The British destroyer Witley has been attacked by bombers and beached, the admiralty announced today. Four casualties were incurred aboard the 1,100 ton vessel the announcement said.

LONDON, May 20—The morale of the French and British soldiers on the western front has taken a terrific upsurge, authoritative quarters declared today, but the military situation remains "undoubtedly rather grim."

While Britain moved swiftly to buttress her home defenses in line with Prime Minister Chamberlain's warning of a coming "battle for our island" and all that Britain is . . . military spokesman outlined the situation in France and Belgium as follows:

"It is useless to pretend that the situation geographically is any better than it was on Saturday."

BERLIN, May 20—The German government today announced the location of a 3,000,000,000 mark credit in the form of short term bonds valid in occupied territory.

YARDLEY

Members of the biology and chemistry classes of Yardley high school visited Longwood Gardens, Kennett Square, on Friday. The class was under direction of Ward McNair, science teacher, and those attending were: Myrtle Smith, Alice Neeld, Elizabeth Gentile, Mildred Whitley, Evelyn Bordon, Elizabeth Caffey, Elizabeth Daugherty, Consuelo Cadwallader, Marie Francis, Virena Bennett, Lucille McKenna, Evelyn Wtezstein, William Nay, William Hand, Francis Kelly and Frank Steinman.

Members of Yardley High School Press Club who attended the seventh annual press conference at Lehigh University, Bethlehem, were: Miss Violet V. Brown, Mrs. James B. Foley, of the school faculty; Emma Hutchinson, editor of "The Tattler," Marguerite Marion, assistant editor; Virena Bennett, Carolyn Seplow, Dorothy Miller, and William Hand.

Bristol Troop Ties In Contest For Scout Cup

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Peter Blodgett, Troop No. 36, Chalfont. Bugling championship, won by John Stoneback of Troop No. 4, Quakertown, with Samuel Leaver and Enoch Moore of Troop No. 18, Doylestown, placing second and third.

Field Commissioner, Harold Crumrine, was head judge of the above events and was assisted by district commissioner Herbert A. Pettit, Sr., and neighborhood commissioner David Neill, both of Bristol. The scoutmasters, neighborhood commissioners and seascouts from Sellersville, Morrisville and St. Francis assisted with the judging. Field Commissioner, George E. Dorfner, was in charge of the securing of the facilities and general arrangements.

Following supper served by the Ladies' Auxiliary of Doylestown Troop No. 18, the parade formed on the fair grounds with the band from the St. Francis School, Eddington, chief of police James P. Welsh, and an escort of Pennsylvania Motor Police.

The parade got under way at seven o'clock and made a circuit of the Doylestown streets, ending up at the Court House. Other bands, which gave color to the parade, were the Doylestown High School Band and the Doylestown Band.

The St. Francis School Band gave a short concert in the Court House, after which the Scouts and guests were welcomed to Doylestown by Council President, Judge Calvin S. Boyer. A program of stunts and songs followed, after which the presentations of cups were made to the following winning units: Bristol Exchange Club Troop Appearance Cup to Troop No. 51, Milford, Scoutmaster Lewis H. Fetherolf; Quakertown Chamber of Commerce Ship Appearance Cup, Ship "Ranger" of Sell-Perk, Skipper F. P. Kemmerer; and a headquarters order for $5 in Scout supplies was given to Scout John Stoneback of Quakertown as a prize for the bugling championship. Council Commissioner William Burgess, Jr., presided at the meeting and awarded the Troop Appearance Cup. Other awards were made by field commissioner Crumrine, council commodore F. P. Kemmerer, district chairman Rev. A. B. Davidson and Scout Executive Robert B. Goeller. During the program, songs were led by Scoutmaster Robert Hays, Churchville, assisted by Field Scout Executive John J. Lee of Doylestown.

The meeting closed with "Taps" and the Star Spangled Banner by the St. Francis Band.

Bartram's Gardens Are Described To Women

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bers, "Fairies" (Wise), "Prayer For a Little Home" (Wise), and "Flowers, Who'll Buy?" (DeMerte). Mrs. Gilbert will be remembered as the "Sweet Young Lady" on the Cheerio radio program.

Miss Helaine Lintleman, landscape architect, spoke on landscape gardening. She dwelt mostly on planning the flower border.

Mr. Anna Horn McEvoy discussed floral arrangements. She said four principles or factors are to be considered in the arrangement of flowers. They are unity, balance, harmony and rhythm. "Arrange your flowers according to design, and then color, both pleasing to the eye. Keep deep and vivid colors at base, or center, and use these as focal points."

rangements that had been taken by
Mrs. McEvoy then judged floral ar-
several members.

Members of the Garden Day committee were:: Mrs. Charles Bidwell, chairman, Minsi Trail Flower Garden Club; Mrs. David Cole, Kellers Church Chalfont Floral Club; Mrs. Odess Flower Club; Mrs. Samuel B. King, Long, Martha Washington Garden Club; Miss Elizabeth Woodman, Lingohocken Garden Club.

Burgess Anderson Endorses Celebration

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tol and All the Adjacent Communities. Every member of the committee active list last year is urged to attend the meeting tomorrow night, as are also those who desire to take an interest this year, but who were not interested last year. Organizations of Bristol and vicinity are urged to send representatives to the meeting and to participate in the arrangements.

One of the first to sponsor the celebration is Burgess Clifford L. Anderson, who wrote his endorsement which was today received by the committee. Burgess Anderson states that he approves of the celebration and reviews what a great success the affair was last year.

Burgess Anderson, addressing the committee, writes as follows:

"Gentlemen:

"It is with pleasure and a feeling of gratification that I respond to your letter soliciting my endorsement for the planned celebration to be held here on July 4th, Independence Day.

"The celebration which your committee staged here last year was a decided success and a credit to those who planned it and worked for it. The thousands who attended the morning and evening programs, heard the inspiring addresses, sang with enthusiasm the patriotic selections, and viewed with pleasure the fine pyrotechnic display, were free in their expressions of approval and satisfaction.

"Such an occasion as your committee plans, stimulates patriotism among our citizenship, kindles the fires of love and devotion to one's country; and impresses upon those who are living in this land of freedom, a sense of responsibility and devotion to those ideals upon which this great land was founded.

"May this July 4th and other Independence Day celebrations inspire us to protect our country from those of insidious mind and activities, who would destroy that which our forefathers built.

"There is only one America—let us each do OUR part to preserve it FOREVER.

"I trust that your celebration will be a glorious success, and if I can be of further service, advise me.

"Respectfully,
(Signed) CLIFFORD L. ANDERSON, Burgess.
Bristol, Penna., May 17, 1940.

HULMEVILLE

In honor of his birthday anniversary, Howard James was surprised at his Main street home, on Friday evening, Mrs. James inviting guests to aid in the celebration. Those spending an enjoyable evening were Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Blummer, Mayfair; and Alec Millekin, Yardley.

A motor trip was participated in on Saturday by Mrs. Helen Illick, and the Misses Grace H. and Clara L. Illick. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dodson, Easton; and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Johnson, Bangor. Sunday visitors at the Illick residence were: Miss Helen Raub, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, and Miss Helen Smith, Trenton, N. J.

A number of members of Neshaminy Methodist Church plan to attend the Scandinavian peninsula travelogue program, illustrated by colored motion pictures, at All Saints' Church, Torresdale, on Friday evening, the speaker being Dr. James. The committee in charge of transportation arrangements includes: the Misses Marie Hanson and Grace H. Illick, Mrs. C. Wesley Haefner; Messrs. LeRoy Edwards, Kenneth Comly, Harold Dasenburg and Kimbel Faust.

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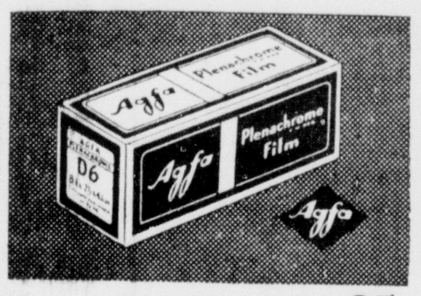

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